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Title: CIRCUIT ELEMENT, SIGNAL PROCESSING CIRCUIT, CONTROL DEVICE, DISPLAY DEVICE, METHOD OF DRIVING DISPLAY DEVICE, METHOD OF DRIVING CIRCUIT ELEMENT, AND METHOD OF DRIVING CONTROL DEVICE

# 1. Papers enclosed

# A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:

87 Page(s) of Specification

16 Page(s) of Claims

1 Page(s) of Abstract

45 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-45)

#### **B.** Other Papers Enclosed

- [x] A Patent Application Bibliographic Data Sheet
- [x] A Preliminary Amendment
- [x] A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- [x] A Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document and a certified copy of:

Country Application Number

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Japan

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- [x] An Information Disclosure Statement
- [**x**] PTO Form-1449
- [x] An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to:

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# 3. Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

- [ ] Applicants hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
- [ ] Applicants hereby request that the attached application **not** be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

#### 4. Relate Back

#### A. 35 U.S.C. 119(e)

[x] Priority of provisional application Serial No. <u>60/457,719</u> filed <u>March 26, 2003</u>, is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

## B. 35 U.S.C. 119 Priority Claim for Prior Application

[x] Priority of foreign application(s) is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 as follows:

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# 5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Filing fee (37 CFR §1.16(a))				\$770.00
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Total Claims	43 - 20 =	23	× \$ 18.00	\$414.00
Independent Claims	8 - 3 =	5	× \$ 86.00	\$430.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) + \$290.00				
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$1,614.00
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SUBTOTAL =				\$1,614.00
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